

Name: Jane A Rothchild, Presiding Officer
MassDEP Office of Appeals and Dispute Resolution (OADR).

Year appointed Presiding Officer: November 2015.

Bar memberships: Massachusetts (1989); U.S. District Court (D.Mass. 1992);
Connecticut (1991); U.S. District Court (D. CT. 1992)
New York (2002).

Professional Development: *Commonwealth Supervisor Certificate Program*, March – June 2011, Supervisory and Professional Development Program; *Wetlands Refresher Training* (Classroom & Field), MassDEP Western Region, July-September 2010; *Presentation Skills*, Northeast Environmental Enforcement Project (NEEP), Philadelphia, 2008; *Negotiation Skills*, NEEP, Boston, 2007; *USEPA, Real Estate Development and Contaminated Sites* (1-day course), Region I, 2006; *New Solutions to Environmental Problems in Business & Real Estate Deals*, Practising Law Institute, New York City, 2004; *USEPA, Introduction to Groundwater Investigations Training Course* (3-day course), Region I, 2003;

Law School: University of Connecticut School of Law, Hartford, CT, 1989, Juris Doctor.

Graduate Coursework: Vermont Law School, South Royalton, VT, Courses in Environmental Law & Policy, 1987-1992

College: Wellesley College, Wellesley, MA, 1979, Bachelor of Arts in Political Science.

Previous Legal Employment:

- November 2015-present: Presiding Officer, MassDEP OADR.
- April 2006-November 2015: Chief Regional Counsel, MassDEP Western Regional Office, Springfield, MA.
- September 1999-April 2006: Senior Regional Counsel, MassDEP, Western Regional Office, Springfield, MA.
- May 1992-September 1999: Private Practice: Environmental & General Litigation/General Practice (Associate, Fitzhugh & Associates, Boston (1992-94); Partner, Cassella & Rothchild, P.C./Law Offices of Jane A Rothchild, Hartford, CT (1994-1998); Of Counsel, Fitzhugh & Associates (1994-1997); Associate, Noble, Young & O'Connor, P.C., Hartford, CT (1998-1999)).
- September 1989-October 1991: Law Clerk, Connecticut Superior Court, 2 year term.

Professional Associations: Boston Bar Association; Massachusetts LGBTQ Bar Association (Board of Directors, 2004-2010; Co-Chair, 2008-2010); Women's Bar Association.

Reported Court Decisions:

Connecticut Cases

In Re: Adoption of Baby Z, 247 Conn. 474, 724 A.2d 1035 (1999).